

The generic relations of the species have been studied and put on a firmer foundation. Specific variation of venation has not been used for generic separation, nor secondary sexual characters. The photographic reproductions are excellent. There are some slight faults owing to photographic limitations, but they are not material, as the figures are sufficiently exact for determination, the majority of the figures being very exact reproductions. The name *forma* is italicized on plate two in the second part, "*G. arizonensis forma dolores*," while in the body of the work the name is treated as a synonym. The word "*forma*" is put in italics as a part of the name of the insect, which is evidently incorrect.

We hope the authors may be able to continue the "Contributions," as it is studies of this kind that collate our knowledge and place it on a much firmer foundation.—H. S.

Doings of Societies.

THE PACIFIC COAST ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

The Thirty-seventh regular meeting was held on the evening of August 20, 1910, at 1801 O'Farrell street, San Francisco, Cal. President Van Dyke in the chair. Ten members and ten guests were present.

President Van Dyke reported the whereabouts of several absent members, namely: Miss Julia Wright, in Oregon; Karl R. Coolidge and Mr. Wm. Mann, collecting in Arizona.

Mr. James Cottle reported a collecting trip in July, 1910, to Castella, Siskiyou Co., California. He stated that there were no *Lycaenae*; the milk weeds were all past blooming and dry; and *Parnassius* were absent, although they were said to be abundant on meadows near Echo Lake. Four *Papilio daunus* were taken. No *Sphinx sequoia* were seen, and but five specimens of *Sphingidae* were taken at the Evening Primrose.

Mr. Huguenin stated that on August 14, 1910, while collecting at Fairfax, Marin Co., California, he captured a series of *Rosalia funebris*. The time is two months later than the regular time as heretofore reported. They were taken from the trunks of the California Laurel (*Umbellularia californica*).

Dr. Van Dyke stated that *Rosalia funebris* breeds in ash